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WEATHER for Kentucky
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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Tomorrow will be "Friday the 13th," but it bids fair to be a beautiful spring day.

Russia's new government says the country has all of the territory it wants and is not warring for expansion.

Col. J. B. Willis, proprietor of Crab Orchard Springs, died Sunday, following a period of suffering from a series of carbuncles.

The major league baseball season was formally opened yesterday in seven of the sixteen cities composing the National and American league circuit.

Richard Olney, a member of President Cleveland's cabinet, died Monday, aged 82 years. He was one of the ablest of Massachusetts Democrats.

Mrs. Daniel J. Hoar of New York, offered her five sons to Uncle Sam as fighters. "It's mighty hard to give them, but the cause is worth it, if it has to be," she said.

Lady Walnut Hill, the Leghorn pullet at Lexington, laid her 94th egg Monday. She will be a year old to-day and is expected to celebrate her birthday by laying her 97th egg.

You can hear five of your own "Muses" this evening at five cents apiece, to say nothing of a program of fine music. And you get it all back in books. Could you hope to get more for a quarter.

Philadelphia had a snowfall Sunday night 8½ inches deep, which extended as far as New York to a depth of 5 inches. In eastern Kentucky it covered the ground two inches, but only a few flakes reached this "glorious climate."

Creation of a General Munitions Board was announced by the Council of National Defense. It will be headed by Frank A. Scott, a Cleveland manufacturer, and will be charged with supplying the army and navy with munitions and equipment.

The much talked-of benefit for the Public Library will be given at the Tabernacle to-night with a full musical program and specialties by five members of the Athenaeum, posing as "Muses." There is no telling what they will say or do, if the audience is a good natured one. It is better not to speculate, but go and see. It will take a quarter to get in and you can get out for nothing.

In a big push Monday the British penetrated the German lines all along a wide front from Arras to Lens. The fighting line from Lens to Arras is 10 miles long. It lies directly north of the German retreat and represents the greatest danger for Germans into whose lines a salient was recently driven. The fact that the line has been penetrated by the British indicates a general offensive.

As was to be expected, Austria-Hungary, under German pressure, severed diplomatic relations with the United States Monday. Ambassador Penfield is not in Vienna, but other members of the embassy were handed passports. Turkey and Bulgaria are expected to take similar action. Spain will take over American interests. Austria evidently took the step with much reluctance. Eight Austrian steamers interned in American ports were promptly seized.

HIT BY A TRAIN.

Tuesday afternoon a farmer named Latham, from near Fairview, attempted to cross the track as the "Little Dixie" L. & N. passenger train was approaching and the horse was so badly hurt that it had to be killed. The buggy shafts were broken, but Latham and another man in the buggy escaped injury.

WILSON'S DRAFT PROVISION

President Throws Weight of Personal Influence Against Opposition In Congress.

DENT MAY BE RELIEVED

Chairman of House Military Committee Against Compulsory Service.

Washington, April 11.—President Wilson threw the weight of his personal influence into the scale in an effort to overcome opposition of congress to the administration army plans based on the draft provision. Summoning Chairman Dent, of the house military committee, now considering the bill, to the white house, the president made it clear that he believed the fate of the nation hangs on the action of congress in this regard. He will make a similar exposition of the military situation to Representative Anthony, of Kansas, who has led opposition to the draft plan among republican members of the committee. In his war address Mr. Wilson formally told congress that in his judgment the United States must fight her enemy with a certain weapon in the form of an army raised by a plan based on universal service plan. Supplementing this, he issued a statement recently approving in every detail the departmental plans which have the unanimous approval of the army general staff.

In his action today, however, the president recognized the fact that there may develop a strong feeling in congress in favor of adhering to the old volunteer system and sought to bring home to Mr. Dent, one of those who holds that view, the lessons to be drawn from the great war into which the United States has now been plunged and which all point, military advisers of the government say, to the absolute necessity of facing the issue squarely and summoning men to the colors by draft.

A compromise plan may be offered by the opponents of compulsory service. A sentiment for such a move was evident in Mr. Dent's discussion. There was no indication, however, that a compromise would be accepted by the president.

In the senate debate on conscription occupied much time during discussion of the regular army appropriation bill left over from last session. The question is not dealt with in the bill but during the debate Senator Kirby offered an amendment which would authorize the president to call volunteers in lots of a half million each. The amendment is subject to a point of order and probably will be disposed of in that way without debate.

DENT MAY BE RELIEVED.

As a result of Chairman Dent's attitude, it is possible that some other member of the house committee will present the administration bill, if it is reported, as officials hope it will be, substantially in the form in which it was drawn. The chairman agreed to introduce it "by request," which means that he would take no responsibility for it. As an active and sympathetic leadership on the floor of the house will be needed, the task may go to some other committeeman. Representative Kahn, ranking republican member, has been a consistent advocate of universal military training and service for years. He went to the extent during the framing of the national defense act of sending to England for recruiting posters and literature and used them to illustrate to the house the unreliable and inefficient operation of that system.

Kentuckians Robbed.

Samuel A. Culbertson and wife, of Louisville, were robbed of \$3,150 in jewels, left in their room in the Fitz Carlton Hotel, New York.

Henderson has organized a machine gun company with Capt. Robt. Soaper commanding.

VICTIMS ARE MOSTLY GIRLS

Final Death List of Terrific Explosions in Eddystone Plant May Be 150.

131 SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Shrapnel Exploded By Heat from Radiator Assigned as Cause—No Plot.

Chester, Pa., April 10.—One hundred and twelve persons, most of them women and girls, are known to have lost their lives and 121 were injured by a series of terrific explosions today in the shrapnel building of the Eddystone Ammunition corporation at Eddystone, one mile from this city. Many of the injured were mortally hurt and it is feared the final death list will reach 150, while probably many others will be maimed for life.

How any of the 300 or more employees in the building, in which was stored approximately 30,000 shells, escaped is almost beyond conception, as there was scarcely a fragment of the structure left intact. Fire added to the horror, and most of the bodies were so badly charred that identification was almost impossible.

EXPLOSION ACCIDENTAL.

In the absence of any official statement, many theories as to the cause of the disaster, one of the worst ever experienced in this section, were advanced. Rumors of plots and arrests of persons both inside and outside of the plant were numerous, but all lacked confirmation. Twenty Philadelphia detectives were sent to Eddystone soon after the explosion on the rumor that it was the result of a plot. After spending several hours investigating they reported that they had learned from officials of the corporation, who had made an investigation, that a quantity of shrapnel had been placed near a radiator and the heat might easily have exploded it. Their opinion is that the explosion was purely accidental and they scout the suggestion that it was the result of a plot. A canvass of the police station in the vicinity and inquiries among officials of the company failed to reveal that arrests had been made.

PAY WAR BILL WHILE FIGHTING

Leaders In Congress Plan To Raise Half Of First Year's Expenditure By Taxation

Washington, Apr. 11.—President Wilson's policy, outlined in his address to congress, of paying America's war bill so far as possible while the war is being waged, leaving a minimum debt to posterity, was reflected Sunday in a virtual decision by leaders in the house and senate to raise fifty percent of the first year's expenditures by taxation.

Under this program congress will be called upon to raise war revenue to the extent of \$1,750,000,000 through new and increased measures of taxation during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918. This is exclusive of \$5,000,000,000 bond issue, authorization for which will be sought of congress this week. The total demand upon the financial resources of the country, the first year of the war under this program would be \$6,750,000,000. Of the \$5,000,000,000 to be raised by a bond issue, 3,000,000,000 it was definitely stated tonight, would be loaned to the Entente allies. The entire issue, house and senate leaders have agreed, will bear interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. It is proposed to make the loan to the allies at this interest rate, which is lower by far than the rate of previous issues.

The total number of lives lost when the Aztec was sunk was 28.

FARMERS ARE ADDRESSED

By Dr. Fred Mutchler On Many Crops And More Of Them.

DON'T SPECIALIZE 1 CROP

Farmers Listened To A Most Interesting Address Tuesday.

Tuesday afternoon at the Court House, Dr. Fred Mutchler, of Lexington, of the state experiment station, and a man of national reputation, addressed the farmers of Christian county.

He said that it was the desire of the department of Agriculture to have each farmer grow staple crops. He urged that everyone have his own garden for his home use and to raise and put up vegetables for winter use.

"We want to keep the farmers from specializing on lines they are not acquainted with," Dr. Mutchler said. It is his desire that every farmer who raises wheat and corn shall continue to raise wheat and corn with redoubled efforts and those who specialize on truck to raise more and better vegetables than ever before, for the farmers to mature their stock before putting it on the market. He said that everybody should co-operate in trying to bring American farm products back to normal conditions and meet the new and increasing needs of the country.

A large crowd of farmers was present and showed great interest in Dr. Mutchler's address and expect to make this the best year Christian county farmers ever had.

MEXICO, CHILE TO BE NEUTRAL

Brazil, Guatemala and Peru Will Join Cuba and Panama With United States.

CHILE TO REMAIN NEUTRAL.

Santiago, Chile, Apr. 11.—In reply to information from the United States and Cuba regarding the existence of a state of war with Germany, the Chilean government today sent word that it would observe neutrality.

PERU FAVORS WAR.

Lima, Peru, Apr. 11.—The Peruvian government today appointed Captain Pedro Buenano to go to Washington on a special naval mission.

MARTIAL LAW IN GUATEMALA.

Guatemala City, Guatemala, Apr. 11.—Martial law has been declared in Guatemala. The action was taken on information of disturbances along the Mexican and Salvadorean frontiers, supposed to have been created with German assistance.

ARGENTINA NEUTRAL.

Buenos Aires, Apr. 11.—A council of ministers was in session today. It is understood the government will issue a decree proclaiming the neutrality of Argentina in the war between the United States and Germany, but will also declare that it considers the attitude of the United States to be justified.

POSITION OF LATIN-AMERICA DEFINED.

Washington, Apr. 11.—Much of the uncertainty as to Latin-America's attitude in the war between the United States and Germany was cleared away by definite advices that Chile and Mexico will remain neutral and increasing indications that Brazil, Guatemala and Peru will join Cuba and Panama on the side of the United States.

Death At W. S. Hospital.

Mrs. Hester Patton, of Muhlenburg county, died Sunday at the W. S. H. of Cerebral disease, aged 41 years. The interment took place near Central City, yesterday.

BULGARIA AND TURKEY NEXT

Officials Believe Domination of Germany Will Force Her Allies to Break.

AUSTRIAN SHIPS SEIZED

Precautionary Measure May Be Interpreted As An Act of War.

Washington, April 11.—Austria-Hungary, ranging herself unreservedly with Germany, Monday severed diplomatic relations with the United States, precipitating a situation which generally is expected here to lead to war. Baron Erich Zwiadinek, the Austrian charge, asked the state department for passports for himself, his staff and the Austrian consular force in this country, and simultaneously American Minister Stovall reported from Berne that Austria had announced the break in relations to the American embassy in Vienna Sunday.

AUSTRIAN SHIPS SEIZED.

Immediately the treasury department ordered the seizure of all Austrian merchant ships in American harbors. The Austrian crews were taken off and sent to immigration stations and American guards put on board. The measure was explained as purely one of precaution, but it is realized that it may be interpreted by Austria as an act of war. In a similar situation after the break with Germany no ships were seized until a state of war had been actually declared.

Whether Bulgaria and Turkey are preparing to follow suit still is unknown, but officials generally believe that sooner or later they will do so. Bulgarian Minister Panaretoff called on Secretary Lansing late Monday to ask if this government had any information from Sofia, but was told none had been received. Both Bulgaria and Turkey are believed here to be weary of war, but German domination of the central European alliance is expected to drive them, as it drove Austria, to break with Germany's new enemy.

FIFE MEETING STARTS SUNDAY

Tabernacle Decorated In National Colors and Preparations Complete.

Sunday morning at the Union Tabernacle the Fife Evangelistic meetings will begin. Mr. Kuhn, the advance agent of the Fife brothers, has been in the city several days helping to get everything ready for the meeting. The tabernacle has been cleaned out and decorated with red, white and blue bunting. Cottage prayer meetings are being held all over the city and interest is high. The members of the Christian church wish the people to know that while the meeting is held by the Christian church, it is primarily a meeting for the betterment of Hopkinsville and Christian county, and all the churches are invited to help and make this the greatest meeting ever held in Hopkinsville.

VETERANS OF 1898.

Among the veterans of the Spanish-American war in Hopkinsville, are the following:

Col. Jouett Henry, Porto Rico & Cuba
Jas. Wicks, " " " "
Gus Breathitt, " " " "
John Stites, " " " "
Gano Bullard, " " " "
L. H. Huggins, Casky, " " " "
Ed L. Weathers, Philippines.
Dr. Austin Bell, Cuba.
Ernest Snodgrass, "
Dr. T. W. Perkins, Philippines.

NEW ATTACK SWEEPS ON

British Push Their Lines Five Miles East of Arras in Face of Resistance.

OVER 100 GUNS CAPTURED

Germans Cleared From Additional Important Position in Northern Ridge.

London, Apr. 11.—On to the Douai-Cambrai evidently is the slogan of the British forces fighting in France. Notwithstanding strong resistance by the Germans and the added handicap of a heavy snowstorm, King George's forces, notable among them the Canadians, have again hit the German line hard at several points for good gains south of Vimy and also to the west of Cambrai.

Five miles east of Arras the British have reached the suburbs of Monchy-le-Prex and northeast of Arras have cleared out the Germans from the village of Farbus and the Farbus woods, while to the immediate north of this sector the Canadians in hard fighting took additional important positions on the famous Vimy ridge and captured prisoners and machine guns. Ten miles west of Cambrai the British have established their line to the north of the village of Louverval.

GERMANS LOSE HEAVILY.

In the two days' fighting along the front from Lens to the southeast of Arras, the Germans have suffered great losses in men and guns. More than 11,000 prisoners, among them 235 officers, have been taken and 100 guns, sixty trench mortars and 163 machine guns have fallen into the hands of the British. Some of the larger guns are of 8-inch caliber. The advance of the British over the entire front has been made to a depth of from two to six miles, the penetration being greatest east and southeast of Arras.

The Berlin official communication admits that two German divisions in the fight near Arras Monday suffered "considerable losses" in stubbornly resisting superior forces. It admits also, that the British succeeded in penetrating the German positions, but says they did not break through the line.

On that part of the line held by the French, reciprocal bombardments continue at various points. No infantry engagement has taken place.

RUSSIANS DEFEAT TURKS.

Again the British and Russian forces report successes over the Turks in Mesopotamia and along the Caucasus front. The Russians, operating against the Ottomans in Mesopotamia from the Khanikan district, near the Perso-Mesopotamian frontier, have captured the village of Kizil Robat, eighty miles northeast of Bagdad, and to the north of this region have driven back the Turks in the district of Banah, which lies about 100 miles east of Mosul.

POULTRY MEETING

At Highland Chapel Tuesday Night Well Attended.

Prof. P. B. Brooks held a meeting at Highland Chapel Tuesday night and delivered his illustrated lecture on poultry to a crowd of 125 or more. Many of those present already raise pure bred poultry, some of them White Wyandottes. Prof. Brooks will hold a similar meeting at Gracey tonight.

Australia Enthuses.

A Melbourne dispatch says America's declaration of war was received with enthusiasm in the Australian capital. The orchestras in all theatres played the American national anthem.

Democrat leader Kitchin has climbed into the bandwagon and says he is ready to push the war measures through the House.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce
WILLIAM R. HOWELL,
of Christian county, as a candidate
for the Democratic nomination for the
State Senate from the District com-
posed of Christian and Hopkins coun-
ties. Subject to the August primary.

A slight earthquake shock was felt
in Evansville about 3 o'clock Monday,
by persons in high buildings.

So far 110 spies and suspicious
characters have been arrested under
orders of the Department of Justice.
Others are being closely watched.

In the first vote she cast, Congress-
woman Rankin got on the wrong side
and voted against war. Jeannette
would probably not be an old maid
now if she had not learned to say
"no."

The British started a big push
around Arras Monday and drove the
Germans out of their trenches on a
wide front, pushing them back two
or three miles and capturing more
than 6,000 prisoners.

Lexington has been officially chosen
as mobilization point by the war de-
partment for the Kentucky troops.
Two places are under consideration
there, one being the old Blue park
where guardsmen have encamped in
former years.

The American legation at Berne has
been officially notified from Vienna
that the American embassy staff there,
comprising nineteen secretaries and
clerks, four women, wives of attaches
and one child, may be expected to ar-
rive in Switzerland Sunday, together
with the consular staffs at Vienna,
Budapest, Carlsbad, Trieste, Prague
and Fiume.

Congress has passed a bill abol-
ishing the grade of brigadier general,
substituting a senior and junior grade
of major general instead. We can do
without generals, but our colonels
must be protected by a sacred circle
or Kentucky will secede or do some-
thing that is all the same in Dutch—
refuse to whip Germany.

The prosecutions of alleged viola-
tors of the election laws in Cincinnati,
Evansville and other places in Ohio
and Indiana are practically annulled
by decisions of the United States
supreme court Monday. The deci-
sions seem to controvert very clearly
the contention that frauds committed
at an election in which members of
congress are to be voted for are
frauds against the government and
are subject to federal prosecution.
The supreme court holds that such
frauds are matters for state prosecu-
tion and adds: "Congress has shown
no disposition to control election of
its own members." The defendants
in the Evansville prosecution have
relied on the Rhode Island case and
the supreme court appears to have
upheld their contentions. Not only
does it seem to stop prosecutions, but
it seems to hold invalid many sen-
tences already imposed, notably those
at Terre Haute, Ind., including the
mayor and circuit judge, held guilty
of conspiracy to defraud the govern-
ment by interfering with the rights
of candidates for congress and the
senate. The United States circuit
court of appeals sustained the indict-
ment and the verdict.

THE MARKET BASKET

(Prices at Retail)

Dressed Chickens	20c
Eggs per dozen	25c
Butter per pound	40c
Country hams, large, pound	25c
Country hams, small, pound	27c
Lard, pure leaf, pound	25c
Lard, compound, pound	20c
Cabbage, per pound	15c
Sweet potatoes	60c per peck
Irish potatoes	80c per peck
Lemons, per dozen	25c
Cheese, cream, per lb.	35c
Sugar, 100 pounds	\$8.50
Flour, 24-lb sack	\$1.50
Cornmeal, bushel	\$1.60
Oranges, per dozen	15c to 60c
Black Walnuts, per peck	35c
Mixed Nuts, per lb.	25c
Grape Fruit	.5 to 20c each
Cooking Apples per peck	50c
Wine Sap Apples per peck	75c
Celery per bunch	15c 2 for 25c
Cranberries per qt.	15c
Onions per pound	16c
Spanish Onions each	10 and 15c
Smoked Sausage per pound	30c
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bruises, stiffness, backache and all
external pain. At your druggists,
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Truth and Evasion.

The cruelest lies are often told in
silence. A man may have sat in a
room for hours and not opened his
teeth and yet come out of that room
a disloyal friend or a vile calumniator.
And how many loves have perished be-
cause, from pride, or spite, or diffi-
dence, or that unmanly shame which
withholds a man from daring to be-
tray emotion, a lover, at the critical
point of relaxation has but hung his
head or held his tongue? And again,
a lie may be told by a truth, or a truth
conveyed through a lie. Truth to facts
is not always truth to sentiment; and
part of the truth, as often happens in
answer to a question, may be the foulest
calumny. A fact may be an ex-
ception; but the feeling is the law,
and it is that you must neither garble,
nor belie to tell the truth, rightly un-
derstood, is not to state the true
facts, but convey a true impression;
truth in spirit, not truth to letter, is
the true veracity.—Robert Louis Ste-
venson.

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good health, bright eyes, clear com-
plexions, and Dr. King's New Life
Pills are a mild and gentle laxative
that regulates the bowels and relieves
the congested intestines by re-
moving the accumulated waste with-
out griping. Take a pill before re-
tiring and that heavy head, that
dull spring fever feeling disappears.

Get Dr. King's New Life Pills at
your druggists, 25c.—Advertisement.

Original St. Sophia.

One of the most interesting of Salo-
nik's famous 22 churches is St. Sophia.
Like its greater homonym of Con-
stantinople, the National Geo-
graphic Magazine observes, it is a
domed basilica, and it was long con-
sidered to be a provincial copy of that
great original. As a matter of fact,
the Saloniki church is the original,
having been built a hundred years or
more the earlier, at the end of the
fourth or the beginning of the fifth
century. The church has suffered dis-
astrously by fire, earthquake and
restoration, but the original lines of
the structure remain, as well as the
pillars and beautiful capitals of wind-
blown acanthus, and two fine frag-
ments of mosaic. The principal mos-
aic, an Ascension, with decorative green
trees between the standing figures,
lines the great dome. It is supposed
to date from 645, though the figure of
Christ in the center is older still.

For Your Child's Cough

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agony with my head. I was unable to
do any of my work."

I just wanted to sleep all the time, for
that was the only ease I could get, when
I was asleep. I became a nervous wreck
just from the awful suffering with my
head.

I was so nervous that the least noise
would make me jump out of my bed. I
had no energy, and was unable to do
anything. My son, a young boy, had to
do all my household duties.

I was not able to do anything until I
took Cardui. I took three bottles in all,
and it surely cured me of those awful
headaches. That has been three years
ago, and I know the cure is permanent,
for I have never had any headache since
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stories of love and domestic bliss or
misery have been written by unmar-
ried women and men.

And then, as you probably know, al-
most everyone thinks he knows more
about other branches of business than
the one in which he is engaged.

The average man can recall the time
when he thought the other fellow's job
was much easier than his, and was
haunted more or less with the notion
that if he had taken up almost any-
thing but what he had he would have
made a great success of it.

It is said there has never, or hardly
ever, been a great comedian who didn't
believe, or think he believed, that his
forte was tragedy; and as if not to be
outdone, the successful tragedian never
ceases to curse the luck that prevented
him from being a comedian.

You may not think this is a contrary
sort of world, but there are a lot of
people who do.

THEIR PLACE OF KEEPING.

"Since this new submarine war
started I am worried about the new
suits I ordered from my London tail-
or."

"Why are you worried?"
"I am afraid instead of coming to
my closet they will go to Davy Jones'
locker."

PERHAPS.

"This magazine writer says Palm
Beach is a blaze of color."

"Well! Well! Maybe that's be-
cause nobody can have a good time
there unless he shows the waiters and
bellhops the color of his money."

SIGNS.

"Is life about this seaside resort
fast?"

"I should say so. Why, even the
fogs get dissipated."

WAIVED CONVENTIONALITIES.

Lily—Did Jack propose to you on
his knees?

Madge—No, on his nerve, I
should say.—Town Topics.

Don't Let Your Cough Hang
On

A cough that racks and weakens is
dangerous, it undermines your
health and thrives on neglect. Re-
lieve it at once with Dr. King's
New Discovery. This soothing bal-
sam remedy heals the throat, loosens
the phlegm, its antiseptic properties
kills the germ and the cold is quickly
broken up. Children and grown ups
alike find Dr. King's New Discovery
pleasant to take as well as effective.
Have a bottle handy in your med-
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"Yes."

"And what sort of interest is
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"Oh, the kind a man takes who
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Queen of Spain—Moi Gracia!
The baby has the stomach ache.
Lord Chamberlain (excitedly)—
Woo! Call in the secretary of the
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TELLING TALES.

Guest—What a splendid dinner,
I don't often get as good a meal as
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Tommy—Neither do we.

POSSIBLY THE REASON.

"Mr. Jones has such a dainty ap-
petite."

"Yes, and such acute indigestion."
—Lampoon.

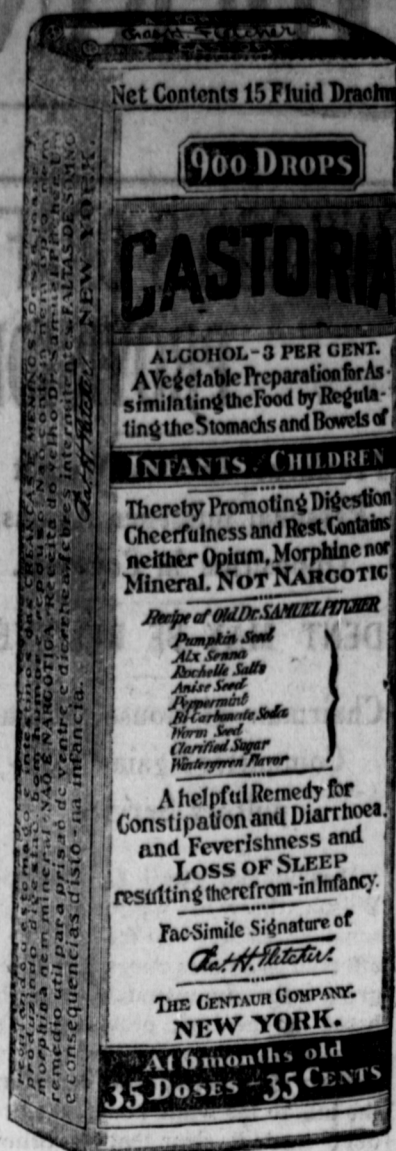
HER STATE.

"What's the matter, aunty? You
seem flurried."

"Yaas, honey; I is some decomp-
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The Ainu, the "Celtic" race of Japan, live in the island of Yeddo, although the race has become so reduced that there are now not more than sixteen or seventeen thousand of them left in the country. The most noticeable peculiarity about Ainu women is that they have tattooed upon their upper and lower lips what resembles a mustache. The women are not considered attractive, and their matrimonial prospects are quite injured, without this decoration. The mustache is begun when the girl is quite a child. It is done gradually, a little each year, until it extends partly across the cheek, the material used being the soot from burning birch bark. The face is out and the black rubbed in. Afterward it is washed in a solution of ash-bark liquor to fix the color. The Ainu women are usually finely formed, straight and well-developed, with small hands and feet. Their eyes are a beautiful brown, their hair black and most luxuriant, and their complexion olive, with often a deep, rich color in their cheeks. The native cloth—of which their garments are made—is woven from the fiber of the bark of the elm tree.

LIVED AN ADVENTUROUS LIFE

Captain Selous Completely Happy When He Was Entirely Out of Touch With Civilization.

The remarkable career of the late Captain Selous, D. S. O., the famous hunter and explorer, who at the age of sixty-five died fighting for his country, fills every schoolboy with a longing desire for adventure.

He was only twenty years of age when he went to Matabeleland, in days when railways were unknown there, and when the interior of the country was a sealed book to the European. For years he was in unknown countries, hunting elephants, lions and other animals, and at one period he was nearly three years without seeing a newspaper, a telegram, or any kind of money. Yet he was perfectly happy. He spent nearly a quarter of a century of his life penetrating the interior of South Africa. Then he went to Alaska on a 15,000-mile tour in search of moose and caribou.

It is not generally known that he was the original of the daring, shrewd, dryly humorous Allan Quatermain of Rider Haggard's famous novel, "King Solomon's Mines."

THE TREATS ON US.

The inhabitants of the recent, or as yet, Danish West Indies has a treat awaiting them, with the formal and official transfer of the islands to the United States, the building of some magnificent American winter resort hotels and the getting of any price they may ask for fresh eggs, butter and milk. The patrons of the hotels, not the proprietors, will do the treating. — Christian Science Monitor.

AN ASSET.

She—My husband, unfortunately, is always misunderstood. The Senator — Unfortunately? Why, madam, it will be the making of him if he goes to congress.— Judge.

QUITE SUITABLE.

"I'm sorry, sir, but your play has an anticlimax." "That's all right. It's an anti-suffrage play."

MISUNDERSTANDING.

"Is he in good standing at the bar?" "Oh yes. He always treats the crowd."

SUITABLE MOTIVE POWER.

"That's an appropriate steed Mike has in his ice wagon." "What is it?" "An old skate."

EQUIVOCAL.

"Is your brother doing well as a chauffeur?" "Well, he is managing to raise the dust."

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THE FARMER AND THE COW

Would He Buy One From a Picture? Mail Order Houses Use Exaggerated Drawings and Paintings Instead of Photographic Reproductions—Stung and Nothing is Said About It.

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A book with pictures and a book without pictures differ nearly as much as a room with windows and a room without windows, for pictures are loopholes of escape to the soul, leading it to other scenes and spheres where the fancy for the moment may revel, refreshed and delighted. They are windows of imprisoned thought.

A picture is invariably an exaggeration of the object reproduced, and, generally speaking, to please it must deceive.

OF Deceptive Value.

The deceptive value of drawings or paintings over photography is recognized by no one more fully than by the great catalogue houses, hence their adoption of the most expensive method of displaying their goods to the public, well knowing that photographs tell the truth, so far as a correct pictorial reproduction is concerned, and would not be conducive to good business methods when the goods offered are faulty.

How many farmers would think of buying a cow from a picture in a newspaper or catalogue, with just a name and description under it? Of course the description would say that the cow was a fine black and white cow, weight 800 pounds and so many hands high, free from blemishes and offered at the reduced price of \$39.97 because of a spot cash deal with a stock farm which failed.

There is as much sense in a purchase of that nature as there is for a farmer to buy a buggy, "our own brand," at \$24.70 when he can get the real article from his home dealer for \$25 and have the privilege of inspecting it before buying. And no freight to pay.

Did Farmer Consider Everything?

While talking to a farmer the following was gleaned: "Farmers, as a rule, do not like to send their money to Chicago or any other place for their goods. They would rather buy of their local merchants if their prices are not out

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of reason. Merchants generally buy their goods where they can get them the cheapest, whether in Chicago, New York or Asia, no matter how much of the same goods the farmer has to sell. The price is the first and last consideration. They fix the price of what he sells as well as what he buys. Can the farmer be blamed for buying where he can get the best bargains? He wants to enjoy the same privilege as the merchants do. Fair play is all he wants."

A Business Injustice.

But did the farmer who made the above remarks take everything into consideration? Did he remember that while the local business men are maintaining markets for the farmers, assisting in making roads to these markets and doing all they can to help the farmer, the mail order houses that have not a cent invested in his vicinity do not buy a dollar's worth of the farmer's crops nor contribute a cent to the welfare of the community? Yet they are getting a goodly portion of the local trade, and business men naturally feel that it is an injustice. It is, and the only way to overcome it is by ADVERTISING.

Visit to Country Town.

Merchants should publish a comparison of their prices with those of the retail catalogue houses—fight them with their own weapons. While visiting a country town recently the writer made some investigations and discoveries. For example, a Chicago mail order house was selling 100 pound grindstones mounted for \$3.10. The local merchant sold the same article for \$3.25; freight from Chicago, 55 cents, making the mail order article cost \$3.65; seam roofing, \$2.85 in Chicago and \$2.90 from the local merchant, freight 15 cents per square to be added to the \$2.85, making it \$3.05 delivered; washing machines, \$3.85 against \$3.75, freight 25 cents to be added to the \$3.85. These are facts which every merchant can prove and keep right on proving all the time.

Cash at Home Too.

Local merchants will quote prices on goods so low that catalogue and mail order houses cannot duplicate them. But you must pay cash. Mail order houses demand the cash in advance. Why not pay the local merchant in advance? Besides, when you buy from a catalogue you send your money away from your home town. You buy from a picture and wait a week or ten days for the goods to arrive; then you open up your "prize box" to see what you really have drawn in the lottery and what you have to show for your money. If you have drawn one of their "baits" you tell your neighbors and friends about it—in fact, you will tell every one about it. If you find, as is usually the case, that you were "stung" you say nothing about it; your lips are sealed as tight as death.

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Water Hole is Dry by Day.

A curious form of water-hole is found in the deserts of western Australia, dry by day but yielding an abundant supply of water by night. The flow of water is preceded by weird hissing and sounds of rushing air. On examining one it was found that the water supply occurred in a long, narrow trench, at the bottom of which was a thin plate of gneiss (a species of rock arranged in layers), separated by a cavity from the main rock mass beneath. Apparently the heat of the day causes this plate to expand in the form of a depression, in which the water retreats. When it cools and contracts at night it forces first air and then water back into the trench.

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Effect of Language.

Few people have ever dreamed how great is the effect of the employment of language upon mankind. Now and then we are face to face with persons who suffer from color-blindness, and we recognize that the affairs of life—trade generally, travel and warfare particularly—could never be left to persons who suffer from this abnormality. Yet the whole of human life in communities seems to be conducted by persons who have no language sense, who have no understanding of the words they employ or who are enslaved by meanings that have been attached falsely to words for generations.—New York Morning Telegraph.

Our cabbage plants have arrived and we now have plenty.

T. L. METCALFE.

Politics Analyzed.

"Politics," said Uncle Eben, "is sumpin' dat some folks would call gamblin' if it could be handled as quick as a hoss race or a raffle."

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GOLDEN CROSS

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Everybody is cordially invited to attend the installation of the new officers of the Grand Commandery of the Golden Cross tonight. Members of the local commandery should not fail to attend. Those that go will find out some things about the order they have never known. Those desiring to unite with a fraternal order having the insurance feature should most certainly be present. Go to the Avalon tonight and you will be glad of it.

Bullard-Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Richard Higgins announce the marriage of their daughter Nora Elizabeth to Mr. Gano Hendrick Bullard on Monday the ninth of April, 1917, at Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

The young couple were married at the Catholic Church at 5 o'clock Monday evening and left on a short southern trip. The bride is a young lady of rare intelligence and sweetness of disposition, very popular with all who know her. Mr. Bullard is a young merchant on Ninth Street and is a veteran of the Spanish-American War, having been a member of Company D. in 1898, when it went to Cuba.

"FIGHT FOR AMERICA"

Bedford, Ind., April 10.—At an inspiring flag-raising at the Hoosier Mill of the Indiana Quarries Stone Company, Fred Yeske, a German, who hoisted the flag to the top of an eighty-foot pole, reiterated his oft repeated proud boast, "Me and mein boys all fight for America." He has seven sons, all working at this quarry, where he has been employed for thirty years.

Stray Calf.

Strayed from the pasture on the Campbell place, April 9th, a pale red steer calf, weighing about 400 pounds. Reward for information.

J. C. JOHNSON, Phone 332.

Miss Ruth Harris left Monday for Bowling Green, where she will attend State Normal school.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kimmons returned last night from Nashville.

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Put 2 or 3 drops of "Gets-It" on the corn right away. Pain and inflammation will disappear, the corn will begin to shrivel from that instant—then it loosens and falls right off. There's no other corn-remover in the world that acts like "Gets-It." No new discovery has been made in corn-removers since "Gets-It" was born. Don't forget that fact. "Gets-It" does away forever with the use of salves that irritate, bandages that make a bundle of your toe, plasters that half do the work, knives and scissors that draw blood. Use "Gets-It"—no more digging or cutting. "Gets-It" is sold everywhere, in a bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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BRILLIANT IN ITS APPOINTMENTS

Was the Beautiful Church Wedding of Lieut. Clark and Miss Smith.

The marriage of Mr. Alvan H. Clark and Miss Evelyn Smith was solemnized at the Methodist church at nine o'clock Tuesday evening. It was one of the most brilliant church weddings ever seen in the city and was witnessed by several hundred persons.

The church was beautifully decorated with evergreens and many flowers, tastily arranged about the stand.

Miss Katherine Follansby presided at the organ and as a prelude played Schubert's serenade.

Mr. Pettus White sang a beautiful solo and Mr. Robert Cooper gave a violin selection.

The bride was attended by three matrons of honor—Mrs. H. C. Moore, Jr., of New York; Mrs. Mary Kennedy, Cason, of Paducah, and Mrs. Thos. L. Smith.

To the sweet strains of the wedding march, the wedding party entered from three doors.

The ushers were Messrs. Ira D. Smith, Thos. L. Smith, Henry J. Stites, Summers Cooper, Herschel A. Long and John W. Venable.

Mrs. Thos. L. Smith entered from the south aisle, followed by Mrs. Cason. Mrs. Moore entered from the north aisle, followed by little Harold Peace, the ring bearer. Then came the bride on the arm of her father, Mr. Ira L. Smith.

The groom, accompanied by his best man, Mr. Joe McCarroll, entered from the front door on the south and met the bride at the altar, which is between the two front doors. The ushers and maids of honor formed a group about the altar. Rev. Lewis Powell performed the ceremony, the ritualistic ring ceremony of the Methodist church.

The wedding party left by the center aisle and out by the north door and were driven to the Smith home on Sixteenth street, where a reception was held and Mr. and Mrs. Clark left on the midnight train for a Southern trip, with Florida as their objective point.

The groom is First Lieutenant in Company D and recently returned from six months service on the border. He is a rising young attorney and also holds the position of U. S. Commissioner. He is an exceptionally brilliant young man, and an eloquent orator.

The bride is one of the city's brightest and most winsome young ladies, highly educated and of most charming personality.

Tuberculosis of Lungs.

Miss Ruth Gornelius died Saturday last, at the home of her parents, near Bainbridge, after an illness of about a year of tuberculosis of the lungs. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cornelius and was nineteen years old.

FATAL FIRE AT LAFAYETTE

Aged Father Of Robt. L. Horn Loses His Life In His Room.

R. J. COOPER HOMESTEAD

One Of The Landmarks Of The Town Burned Yesterday Morning.

The R. J. Cooper home in LaFayette, occupied by Robt. L. Horn, was burned yesterday morning at 4 o'clock and Mr. Horn's father, C. M. Horn, age 87 years, was burned to death.

The old gentleman occupied a room over the dining room and it is not known whether the fire started from a flue or from a night lamp in the room. Prof. S. E. Hancock, principal of the school, boarded with Mr. Horn's family and he was first aroused to find the upper part of the house in flames. The alarm was quickly given and neighbors assembled, but could do nothing further than save the household goods from the lower floor. Mr. Horn, at the risk of his own life, brought out the dead body of his father, who had been suffocated evidently in the early stage of the fire. All efforts to revive him were in vain. He leaves a widow, a second wife, who lives at Big Rock, Tenn. The old gentleman's health was so feeble that he spent most of his time with his son in LaFayette. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the burial will be at Big Rock to-day.

The property loss is probably \$3,500. The house was owned by the Cooper heirs, R. E. Cooper and others of this city. The house and contents were both partially insured. The house was one of the landmarks of LaFayette, a big old two-story frame, covered with metal and in the absence of a fire department, there was no way to save it. Its original cost when built was about \$7,000.

When you want fire, tornado, life or bond insurance—in the Oldest Strongest Companies see H. D. WALLACE, office up stairs, over Anderson-Fowler Drug Store, Corner Ninth and Main.

PURELY PERSONAL

Mrs. J. E. Stone, of Hopkinsville, is spending a few days in the city the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Strother.—Madisonville Hustler.

H. A. Robinson, of Hopkinsville, was in the city shaking hands with his friends Monday. Mr. Robinson is contemplating making the race for State Senator from this district. He is a farmer and traveling man, and has many friends in Hopkins county who will be glad to learn that he is seriously contemplating getting in the fight.—Madisonville Messenger.

Mr. L. B. Adams and Dennis Hendrick, of Cadiz, passed through Hopkinsville Tuesday on their way to Evansville, Ind., with hopes to locate in that city.

Mr. W. S. Boales, for several years a resident of St. Louis, where he has been very successful in business, is in the city. He has sold his interest there and is arranging to move to New York.

Miss May Covington, of Russellville, is a guest of Miss Bertha Thomas.

Mrs. George Koenig, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. Polk Cansler.

H. C. Moore, Jr., of New York, is here for a few days' visit. Mrs. Moore has been on a visit to her parents for a couple of weeks.

Jas. Ducker and Miss Mabel Corkery were married in Louisville last Thursday and they are here on a visit to the groom's father, Mr. C. W. Ducker. Mr. Ducker is an employee of the L. & N. Railroad Company.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorize to announce LUCIAN J. HARRIS, as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the action of the Democrat primary in August.



Master James L. Hyman, of Chambersburg, Pa., and his "Bodyguard."

This Little Chap Is Never "Dosed" For Colds

The Hyman's Now Use the "External" Treatment for Croup and Cold Troubles

MR. PAUL S. HYMAN, of 438 E. Washington Street, Chambersburg, Pa., is the father of this fine baby boy. Sometime ago Mr. Hyman tried the Southern method of treating colds externally—Vick's VapoRub Salve, and was so delighted with the results that he has given us permission to reprint his letter as follows:

"I had a very bad cold on my chest, and coughed very hard. I rubbed Vick's VapoRub on my chest for about five or six times and the results were wonderful. Also, I have a fifteen months old baby boy who had a very bad cold in his head. My wife simply

rubbed some on his nose and forehead, and the cold was loosened in no time at all. We have used a great many other remedies, but yours is best so far."

Vick's VapoRub is quicker, and better than internal medicines for cold troubles and is particularly recommended for children, as it does not disturb their digestion. The heat of the body releases a soothing pine tar vapor that is inhaled with each breath, and, in addition, VapoRub absorbs thru the skin, taking out the tightness and soreness. Mothers will find it a "true Bodyguard for the home". Three sizes, 25c, 50c or \$1.00.



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MR. FARMER!

Don't Go It Blind!

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MAY WIN ARMOR PLANT

West Virginia City Tipped as Inspection Board's Selection—Four Available.

Washington, D. C., April 11.—The government armor plate plant that Evansville hoped to secure will be located at Huntington, W. V., according to a tip from inside sources tonight.

It is expected that formal announcement that Huntington has been selected will be made by Secretary Daniels tomorrow.

In the final roundup four cities were considered available, Ironton, Ohio; Ashland, Ky.; Evansville, Ind., and Huntington.

Huntington has finally been agreed upon, the authorities say, because of its proximity to ore, fuel and other raw materials of the best grade, as well as its inaccessibility to a foreign foe.

Henderson county has declined to employ a farm agent this year.

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PRINCESS TOMORROW

Anita Stewart Once "Extra" Vitagraph Star Climbed Ladder of Success.

Anita Stewart, who plays the role of Mariel Fleming so charmingly in "The Combat," the Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature, which is the attraction at the Princess Theatre tomorrow, was born in Brooklyn, New York, on February 17th, just nineteen years ago. While attending the Erasmus Hall High School there, she studied vocal music and piano under the direction of Mrs. Mary Gunning, one of the leading musical instructors of the city.

It was during her High School career that Miss Stewart's personal beauty was first utilized by several New York artists who employed her as a subject for high class calendars and pictorial lithography.

Entering the motion picture profession as a beginner, she did little other than extra work at first, appearing as maids and in other unimportant characters until she learned the rudiments of the profession. Her first role of any importance was the lead in "The Wood Violet," a sort of primitive little lady who soon won her way into the hearts of hundreds of thousands of motion picture lovers, where she has held high sway ever since.

Although particularly adapted for drama, Miss Stewart has appeared in comedy, her first role of this stamp being in "Why I Am Here," in which she played a slangy, gum-chewing stenographer. It was a character part in every sense of the word and immediately stamped Miss Stewart as being a wonderfully versatile young lady.

Her characterization of the leading role in "A Million Bids," made her a Broadway Star in one night and when one considers that all this has been accomplished by a little lady just over nineteen years of age, who never spoke a line on the dramatic stage in her life, one may realize the wonderful career of Anita Stewart.

May Raise Postage Rates

Plans are being seriously considered by the congressional leaders to double postage rates as a war revenue measure. An ordinary letter under the plan proposed would require a 4-cent stamp and a postal card would cost 2 cents.

Our cabbage plants have arrived and we now have plenty.
T. L. METCALFE.

LUCIAN H. DAVIS.



Before Circuit Court adjourned Saturday, Judge Bush made an order re-appointing Master Commissioner Lucian H. Davis, to the position he has filled so acceptably for several years.

Kentuckian Made Judge.

Washington, April 11.—Robert Hardison, of Kentucky, was nominated by President Wilson as one of the two Judges of the Police Court of the District of Columbia.

Mr. Hardison has been employed in the customs division of the Department of Justice in New York City. Before assuming that duty he was an assistant to Magistrate's Attorney at Muskogee, Okla. Mr. Hardison, who is 45 years old, was born in Lewis, Logan County, Ky. He attended Bethel College at Russellville and studied law there. He began the practice of law at Russellville and subsequently moved to Greenville which he now claims as his legal residence. The term of the Police Court Judge is six years and the salary is \$3,600.

"Uncle Bill" Radford.

William Radford, known as "Uncle Bill," a much respected colored man of Church Hill, died Sunday, aged about 90 years. He was for a number of years janitor of Church Hill Grange and sexton at South Union church. About four years ago he became incapacitated by blindness. The interment took place in Spring Hill colored cemetery Monday. South Union church contributed \$10 towards defraying the expenses of the burial.

Mannington Enlists 11.

At Madisonville Co. E. has enlisted 27 new men, 11 of them from Mannington, in this county. The company is on duty "somewhere in Kentucky."

Safes That Float.

Two Italian inventors have devised a system of floating safes for installation in ocean liners for registered mail and valuables, in view of submarines and other contingencies.

TWO VOICES

Patriotic Poems Read By Rev. F. F. Walters Sunday Night.

Sunday night at the Christian church the choir, assisted by singers from some of the other churches, gave a delightful Easter musical service. A large crowd was present and at the conclusion of the singing, the pastor, Rev. F. F. Walters, made a short talk on the war situation and as an illustration of the spirit of the American people he read the following poems from the Atlanta Constitution and the Minneapolis Journal of 1898:

A SOUTHERN VOLUNTEER.

Yes sir, I fought with Stonewall,
And faced the fight with Lee;
But if this here union goes to war,
Make one more gun for me!
I didn't shrink from Sherman,
As he galloped to the sea,
But if this here union goes to war,
Make one more gun for me!

I was with 'em at Manassas—
The bully boys in Gray,
I heard the thunders roarin'
'Round Stonewall Jackson's way,
And many a time this sword of mine
Has blazed the route for Lee,
But if this old nation goes to war,
Make one more sword for me!
I'm not so full o' fightin',
Nor half so full o' fun,
As I was back in the sixties
When I shouldered my old gun;
It may be that my hair is white—
Such things, you know, must be,
But if this nation is in for war,
Make one more gun for me!

I hain't forgot my raisin',
Nor how, in sixty-two;
Or thereabouts, with battleshouts
I charged the boys in blue:
And I say: I fought with Stonewall,
And blazed the way for Lee;
But if this old Union's in for war,
Make one more gun for me!

HIS NORTHERN BROTHER.

Just make it two, old fellow,
I want to stand once more
Beneath the old flag with you
As in the days of yore
Our forefathers stood together
And fought on land and sea,
The battles fierce that made us
A nation of the free.

I whipped you down at Vicksburg,
You licked me at Bull Run;
On many a field we struggled,
When neither victory won
You wore the Southern gray,
I wore the Northern blue:
Like men we did our duty
When screaming bullets flew.

Four years we fought like devils,
But when the war was done
Your hand met mine in friendly clasp,
Our two hearts beat as one,
And now when danger threatens,
No north, no south, we know,
Once more we stand together
To fight the common foe.

My head, like yours, is frosty—
Old age is creeping on;
Life's sun is lower sinking,
My day will soon be gone,
But if our country's honor
Needs once again her son,
I'm ready too, old fellow—
So get another gun.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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VILLA DENIES ANY ALLIANCE

Considers it Unpatriotic to Serve Foreign Elements.

El Paso, Texas, April 10.—Members of the Villa junta here declare they have received a letter from Villa saying that he will march to the border and take Juarez as soon as he captures Chihuahua City, and disclaiming at the same time any connection with German plots in Mexico.

"I will never consent that Mexico serve as a general headquarters for any foreign country," Villa wrote, according to the text given out by the junta, "and I will energetically oppose with arms any violation of its sovereignty. The revolutionary movement that I head is against the illegal government of Carranza, and I will not abandon the field of strife unless to free the Mexicans from a new tyrant."

Villa declares further that notwithstanding President Wilson's recognition of Carranza, he would never make an alliance with the Germans, because it would be unpatriotic to serve foreign elements by affronting the United States.

The letter is dated from Santa Eulalia, a point about 15 miles east of Chihuahua City, on April 3. In it Villa promises to make a new attack on Chihuahua City and says that after taking it he will receive reinforcements from Durango, which will enable him to drive out Murguia. He will then come to Juarez to confer with some prominent Americans, he said, hoping "his distinguished and good friend" Gen. Hugh L. Scott will attend the meeting.

CENSOR BOARD FOR THE MOVIES

Is Provided In Bill Introduced By Representative Hobbs.

Frankfort, Ky., April 10.—The creation of a board of censors for moving pictures is provided for in a bill introduced by Representative Hobbs. A license tax of \$5 for an inspection by the board and an additional license tax of \$5 for the exhibition of each film is provided for in the measure.

The board is to be composed of three persons, one of whom shall be a woman, the members to be appointed by the governor, with the consent of the senate.

Each member will receive an annual salary of \$1,200; the secretary, who is to be one of the members of the board, an additional \$300.

CITY WATER PURE.

City Board of Health: We have made bacteriological examination of the sample of water from your city water supply and are glad to inform you that we found no evidence of pollution in this sample.

Very truly yours,
D. P. CURRY,
State Sanitary Engineer.

Chloroformed Himself.

Dr. P. Richard Taylor, fifty-four years old, widely known in Kentucky, was found dead in his office in Louisville Monday with a paper bag enclosing chloroform saturated with cotton over his face.

La Center, Ky., had a \$35,000 fire Saturday.

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ANNUAL GRANGE SALE

Church Hill, Ky., Friday, April 13th, 1917.

Between 250 and 300 head of prime winterfed beef cattle go to highest bidder. This year most of entire offering will be in better condition than usual, with most of same weighing above 1000 lbs each.

The usual terms of sale is mentioned; namely: The sale to commence promptly at 10 o'clock. All cattle offered go to the highest and best bidder at so much per head. Selling fee will be 35 cts. per head for cattle weighing 800 lbs. and over; and 25 cts. per head under 800 lbs., to Grangers owning pens. Selling fee to outsiders will be 45 cts. per head for cattle weighing 800 lbs. and over, and 35c per head under 800 lbs. The weight of cattle to be judged by a committee and selling fee paid when cattle are listed for sale. The stock committee guarantees sale conducted in strictly straightforward manner with no by-bidding or buying in of cattle. Buyers from a distance will have their purchase taken care of until following day at the minimum cost of feed and delivered to loading station free of charge.

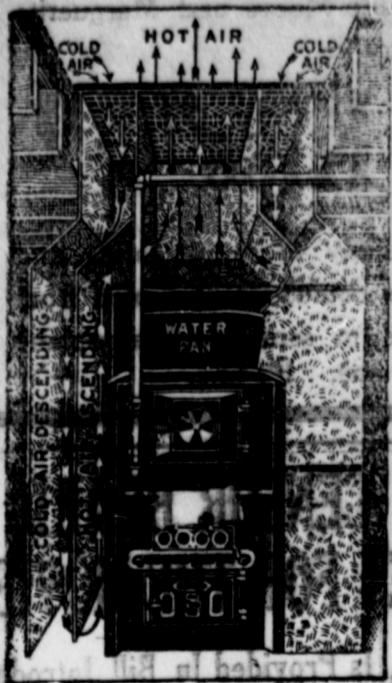
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We have the exact type of draft stallion suitable for crossing on small mares.

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PHONE 261-5.

HUGH HENRY.

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At Church Hill Grange Sale, on

FRIDAY, APRIL 13TH,

will have three registered D. S. Poll Durham Bulls that I will offer privately for sale. Ages from 6 to 9 months. Also have 2 D. S. Poll Durham bull calves about 6 months of age that I will offer to highest bidder. All stock highly bred and eligible double standard registration. See a few of my herd at the sale.

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Tom Binns.

FARMER BEHIND THE TIMES

His Wife Tells How She Has Lived for Many Years Without Modern Conveniences.

In the American Magazine a farmer's wife tells of some of her experiences. She says:

"My husband does not, or will not, realize that the world has moved, and that what were luxuries a generation ago are necessities now. One of my children died of typhoid fever, the germs of which were, no doubt, brought by flies from the house down the road where they had the disease; for we haven't a screen door in the house, and only a few cheap adjustable screens."

"We sleep on feather beds, because mattresses cost money, and the feather beds were in the house—a part of the furnishings that I married, when I took my husband for better or for worse. We have chairs with rounds missing, worn carpets, nicked dishes and cooking utensils that have long since outlived their usefulness."

"The house is inconvenient, and for that reason alone housework is much harder than it ought to be, and housework is hard enough in all conscience on a farm. We have no water in the house. For 25 years I have fetched and carried water. There are two steps between the kitchen and the dining room, which, by the way, was formerly a bedroom and has no place for a stove. The 'parlor' is across a hall from the main part of the house and is only opened on special occasions."

HOW TO MANICURE CANARY

It is a Job That Must Be Done, But Extreme Care Should Always Be Used.

As a canary grows old, it will be noticed that its claws get long and catch on the perches and wires as it hops about the cage. In a state of nature the activity of the bird as it moves about on the ground or among twigs and limbs keeps the claws properly worn down. Confined in a cage, the bird's claws become entirely too long.

It is necessary, therefore, to trim them with a pair of sharp scissors every few months. It is important to watch the condition of the claws carefully, as by catching they may cause a broken leg. In each claw a slender blood vessel extends well down toward the tip. This may be seen on close examination through the transparent sheath of the claw. In trimming cut well beyond this canal and take special care not to break the leg while handling the bird.

In cage birds the horny covering of the bill, as well as the claws, sometimes becomes distorted through growth without sufficient wear. The tips of the mandibles may be pared down with a sharp knife, but care must be taken not to cut deep enough to reach the quick.

Be Prepared to Meet Trouble.

There is a serious side to life as well as a carefree one. The average mother should remember this and should impress upon her family the wisdom of being prepared to meet whatever trouble comes into the home.

Everyone has his or her burdens to bear, and the old-fashioned habit of coming forward and making collections for persons in trouble isn't in vogue these days. It is a good thing, too, that times have changed, for no one need be dependent upon public or private charity if he or she looks ahead, acknowledges his or her responsibilities and uses the proper means to meet them. As a rule it is always the extravagant and unsystematic person who has to call for aid; but the woman who looks at life from a business standpoint—who assumes her responsibilities—is always independent and never finds it necessary to seek assistance from others.

Owl Not Really Wise Bird.

Since it has been recognized that the owl is a beneficial bird, economically important as a destroyer of rats, mice and gophers, there is an increasing tendency to restore its classic significance. Like many people of deliberate manner and few words, owls are not as wise as they look. They are quite easily caught in traps. In case the barn in which the owls make their home catches fire the owls usually burn to death. They get along very well in captivity when they are comfortably housed and fed either mice or a variety of food, but they cannot live on a diet of raw pork or beef.

Syriac Language.

Syriac is one of the three groups of languages into which the old Aramaic of Assyria and Babylonia was developed, the other groups being the Chaldean and the Nabatean-Sabean.

The Syriac is emphatically a Christian literature language, the Bible was translated into it as was a deal of writing from the fourth to the tenth century, and it, instead of Latin, is the liturgical language of the Roman Catholics of Lebanon in Syria today.

The Syro-Chaldean is a variant of the Syriac, combining features of both the Syriac and Chaldean groups. It is found in use in Kurdistan and the Lake Urmia districts.

Nothing More.

"Anything doing in Plunkville?"

"Not a thing."

"But I see by the paper that many public improvements are contemplated."

"Contemplated is the word. Merely municipal castles in the air."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

FACTS ABOUT THE EARTH

Atmosphere Now Believed by Scientists to Have Three Fairly Distinct Strata.

The earth's atmosphere is now believed to have three fairly distinct strata, the first extending up to about forty-five miles, having nitrogen as the leading constituent; the second, with its upper limit at about 125 miles, being chiefly hydrogen, and the third, at a still greater height, consisting of a very thin gas which has been named "geocoronium." Dr. Alfred Wegener has attempted to explain the striking differences of color in meteors or "shooting stars," and says that meteors coming from outer space are not sufficiently heated in the exceedingly light gas to become luminous. Their fall through the hydrogen layer causes them to become incandescent, and before they reach the lowest stratum most of them are completely dissipated. A few of the largest however penetrate the nitrogen atmosphere, a very small number reaching the earth's surface. It is found that the deep-falling meteors pass through three stages of color, yellow-white, green and deep red—and it is concluded that the green is due to incandescence of the hydrogen and the red to that of the nitrogen. Only the first stage is seen in the quickly dissipated meteors, the white, yellow or sometimes reddishness being evidently the glow of the meteor substance.

WHAT CALIBER OF GUN MEANS

Term as Applied to Artillery Is Cause of Confusion in the Popular Mind.

Confusion as to the meaning of the term caliber arises chiefly from its use as an adjective to indicate length, as when we say "a 50-caliber six-inch gun." The word caliber, as applied to artillery, signifies the diameter of the bore of a gun measured diametrically from face to face of the bore, of course somewhat larger.

A gun, then, of six-inch caliber is a gun whose bore is just six inches. For convenience and because the power of a gun when once its bore has been decided upon depends so greatly upon its length, artillerymen are in the habit of defining the length of the gun in terms of the caliber.

Thus the 12-inch United States naval gun, which is 40 feet in length, is spoken of as a 40-caliber 12-inch, the length being just 40 times the bore. The 6-inch rapid-fire gun is a trifle under 25 feet in length and is therefore known as a 50-caliber gun.

In the case of small arms the caliber is expressed in hundredths of an inch, as when we say a 22-caliber revolver we mean one with a bore that has a diameter of .22 of an inch.

Whose Uncle?

A man learned of the death of an uncle in a distant state and employed an attorney to get for him his share of the estate. After much delay the lawyer sent for his client and said:

"I have collected your share of your uncle's property, and here is a statement of our account."

The account rendered showed many items of expenses, such as "taking depositions," "notary's fees," "court costs," "travelling expenses," etc., a considerable charge in favor of the attorney for his services and only a small balance for the nephew.

After examining and pondering over the statement for quite a while the client looked up and said to the lawyer: "Was that your uncle or mine that died?"—West's Docket.

Japs Like Fresh Air.

The normal Japanese woman satisfies the artist's ideals as well as the surgeon's. The average woman in Japan today shows a figure that is as perfectly molded and of as true proportion as the woman of ancient Greece was able to display. Consumption is a rare disease in Japan; even winter coughs are of rare occurrence. The Japanese woman is taught from earliest childhood that life is impossible without a sufficient supply of fresh air. This internal cleansing with fresh air is deemed of more importance than the bath that usually follows it.

Other People's Things.

Did you ever see a girl who would turn down the leaf of her library book to mark her place, when she wouldn't think of turning one of her own books in such a fashion? Did you ever know a boy who would leave a borrowed bicycle standing out in the damp, though he was very particular about his own things? It is a pity that little folks or older ones should ever be less careful of what belongs to someone else than of what is their own.

A Sad Reminder.

"I went into a man's office this morning and he had mottoes stuck up all around his desk, like 'Do it now,' 'Be brief,' and 'This is my busy day.' Have you anything of that sort in your office?"

"No, I don't need them. I have a note framed and hung up on my wall that I indorsed for a man and eventually had to pay myself. Whenever I look at it I remember all the mottoes I ever heard of."

What He Said.

"Has the doctor been here today?" asked the wife.

"Yes, he has," replied the gouty husband.

"What did he say?"

"Two dollars."

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French and English Fraternize as They Have Not Done for More Than a Century.

Some months ago an old man called at the French embassy and asked to see the ambassador. M. Cambon saw him, and the man produced a little square of old red silk. He explained that this was part of a tricolor flag captured at Waterloo by a party of soldiers which included his grandfather. They had cut up the flag, and this piece had been treasured in the family ever since. The old man felt that he could no longer keep it, and wished to hand it back to our friends the French.

Another gift at the embassy was no less curious. A visitor called, carrying a heavy, flat case. He opened it in the presence of the ambassador and showed a fine picture by Greuze, which he asked the ambassador to receive as a gift to France. The donor said that it had been in his family for some time, and he wanted now to present it to France for a French museum, or to be sold for the French hospital funds, or anything they wished. He refused to give his name, and left no clue to his identity but the picture.—Manchester (Eng.) Guardian.

PROBLEM SOLVED AT ONCE

No Need for Boss to Devote Much Thought to the Plea Presented by Old Employee.

The conversation in the lobby of a Washington hotel, the other evening, turned to the solution of difficult problems, when this little anecdote was recalled by Congressman James R. Mann of Illinois:

One afternoon an esteemed citizen, who was employed in a big mercantile house, sought his way to the private office, and gently bulged into the presence of the boss.

"Mr. Smith," said the employee, in response to the interrogative look of the other, "I came to speak to you about my salary."

"Your salary?" quickly interposed the boss. "What is the matter with your salary?"

"It is just this way, Mr. Smith," the employee started to explain. "I cannot save half as much on what you are giving me today as I did on what you gave me five years ago, and I thought—"

"I see! I see!" cheerfully interposed the boss. "We can easily fix that. Suppose we give you what we gave you five years ago?"—Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.

DRINK MUCH CHAMPAGNE.

Twenty thousand dollars a day are spent in New York for champagne. This is not a guess but a carefully prepared estimate based on figures furnished by the big liquor and importing houses. Before the Civil war gentlemen served carefully preserved and personally cared-for wines, but with the mad rush for precedence that followed the Civil war and the forced nomadic propensities of succeeding generations, it became impossible to keep wine for ten or twenty years before being served. That is the real reason why champagne is the fashionable drink today.

UNWILLING TO EXCHANGE.

"Oh, mother!" exclaimed a little girl, as she ran in the house after school. "Get all your trash ready, for the city is going to have free delivery during cleanup week."

"Well," replied mother decisively, "I hope they don't bring us any, and I am sure no one else wants ours."

OF TROUBLE.

"What was all that gasoline trouble on the border about? Did they strike a bunch of tanks?"

"No; a bunch of self-starters."

PAPER UP.

Broker—At two cents a share this mining stock is a bargain. Why, the paper in the certificate is worth a cent and a half.

ONE EXCEPTION.

"I have often been struck with the works of nature—"

"Have you ever been struck by lightning?"

OFTEN TRUE.

"Father, what is the difference between a genius and a celebrity?"

"A haircut and a shave, usually, my son."

MAY BE OF VALUE TO ARMY.

Small Motorcycle, Operated at Small Expense, Expected to Be Adopted by War Department.

Some interesting experiments were made recently by Capt. Frank E. Evans of the United States Marine corps with a view toward establishing the practicability of a small motorcycle recently designed by a well-known inventor.

A private, equipped in heavy marching order, tried out the machine, says Popular Science Monthly. He had had no previous experience with automobiles or motorcycles, yet his success in operating it has led to the belief that it would be a welcome addition to the fighting equipment of our soldiers.

The machine will carry as much as 300 pounds and attain a speed of 25 miles an hour, although its weight is but 50 pounds. It takes hills easily. Private Davis, who tried it out, found no difficulty in ascending a 14-degree incline.

The machine is so small that it will turn around corners without jangling. It is also so light that it may be lifted over any ordinary obstacle. One of the tests consisted in riding it up to a four-foot fence, stopping the engine, and lifting the machine over the fence, all of which was done with very little delay.

The dimensions of the little machine are 48 inches by 9 inches by 18 inches. It is small enough to be a plaything. Yet it will carry 300 pounds for 50 miles at an operating expense of ten cents.

SPACE AND MATTER



"One body cannot occupy more than one place at the same time." "Huh! Did you ever see a fat woman in a street car?"

HEAT COST MAKES ICE HIGHER.

The high cost of keeping warm has had a direct effect on the cost of keeping cool, the Philadelphia Ledger says. In other words, it was announced by one of the largest ice companies in the city that its price on ice would be jumped ten cents a hundred pounds to the consumer. The abnormal price of coal, it is said, has been one of the principal factors responsible for this increase.

Fifty cents a hundred pounds instead of 40 cents will be charged by this company for ice delivered to the consumer.

It is quite likely that the price of ice will be raised by almost every company in the city. This is the personal belief of an ice company official. "We have been struggling along, barely making ends meet," he declared. "Our profits have been eaten up by coal prices."

EXPERT OPINION.

"Do you think it a waste of time to say 'please' over the telephone?"

"Not any more a waste of time than half the other conversation that goes over the wire," replied the cynical operator.

DEFERRED.

Mrs. Knicker—Have you a reference from your last place?

Bridget—No, mum; Oi haven't gotten the place yet.

NO MORE DODGING.

Jones—Motor cars are very dangerous.

Williams—That's the reason I'm going to buy one.

SPICE OF LIFE.

"Have you much variety in your boarding house?"

"We have three different names for the meals."

FORTUNE'S FAVORITES.

She—Cholly says he can't get a girl to marry him.

He—Now isn't that just fool's luck!



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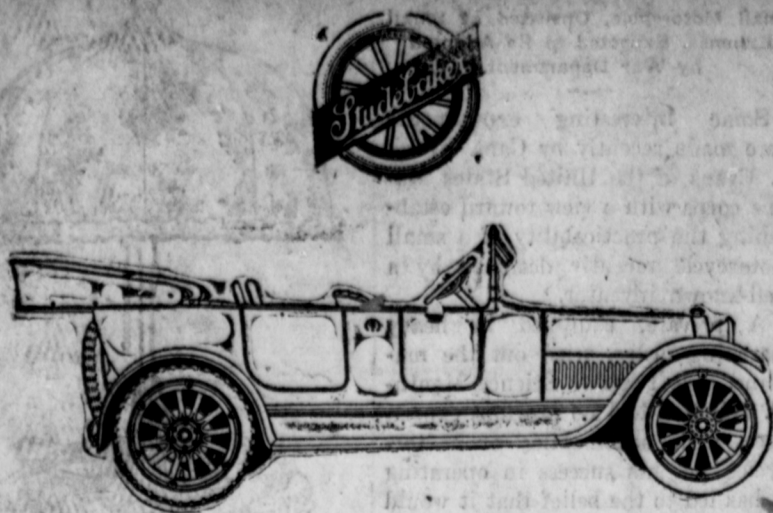
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Geo. C. Long, administrator, on Tuesday morning, sold two pieces of real estate belonging to the estate of the late W. A. Wilgus, bequeathed to the city of Hopkinsville. The first was the residence on the West side of Main street, at 1319 South Main street, occupied by C. E. Woodruff. It is about 80 feet front and has on it a two-story house that rents for \$300 a year. It was sold to Frank Rives for \$4,050. The other lot was the storehouse at 18 East Ninth street, 30 by 100 feet, with a two-story brick building, occupied by Kreisberg's shoe store and the Knights of Pythias lodge room on the second floor. This building was built and occupied by the Kentuckian up to 1890, when it was sold to Mr. Wilgus. For this valuable property bidding was very spirited and it finally went to Hyman Franklin for \$12,525. Mr. Franklin is in business in the Cook building and probably bought it for his own use, at the expiration of the present lease.

The two pieces brought \$16,575—more than the appraised value. About \$15,000 was already in the hands of the administrator, and with certain stocks, notes, etc., to be realized on, the estate will run up to nearly \$40,000.

Fifteen shares of Hopkinsville Mills stock were sold to R. H. Holland at \$43 a share, and seven shares of Pennyroyal Fair stock sold to A. H. Eckles for \$7 for the lot.

George Deep In Trouble.

Geo. Snadon, col, was arrested Sat. evening at the Tennessee Central depot. He had just gotten off the train from Hopkinsville, and according to the police, was considerably under the influence of whisky. On being searched, several bottles of the prohibited beverage were found on this person. George was already under a \$500 bond on the same charge.

On being arrested for the second offense, his former bondsmen gave him up. He is now in the city jail, first to work out a \$50 fine for the city, and then to be turned over to the county to answer to the charges.—Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals for the improvement of seven State Aid Roads in Christian County, Kentucky, will be received by the Road Commission at the County Court House in Hopkinsville, Kentucky, until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, April 26, 1917.

The work proposed to be done involves approximately:
SECTION 8—Julian Road—8½ miles resurfacing; approximate expenditure . . . \$10,000.00
SECTION 9—Gracey Road—9½ miles reconstruction; approximate expenditure . . . \$20,000.00
SECTION 10—Greenville Road—Fruit Hill to Muhlenburg County line; 10 miles grade and drain; approximate expenditure . . . \$20,000.00
SECTION 11—Dawson Springs Road—14½ miles new construction . . . \$40,000.00
SECTION 12—Bradshaw Road—2½ miles new construction and additional reconstruction; approximate expenditure . . . \$20,000.00
SECTION 13—Kirkmansville Road—4½ miles new construction and additional reconstruction; approximate expenditure . . . \$10,000.00
SECTION 14—Newstead Road—1½ miles new construction and additional reconstruction; approximate expenditure . . . \$10,000.00
A certified check for \$500.00 for each section must accompany each bid submitted.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Bids will also be received on the concrete as a unit separate from the sections.

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Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of proposals obtained at the office of Chas. Folsom, Engineer, County Building, Hopkinsville, Kentucky; also at the Department of Public Roads, Frankfort, Ky.
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UNION MEETING

Christian Endeavor Societies
At First Presbyterian Church.

The Christian Endeavor Societies of Hopkinsville will have a union meeting Sunday. The public is cordially invited to attend this meeting, which will commence promptly at 6:30 p. m.

PROGRAM:

Selection, 196 Orchestra
Prayer James Skerritt
Song, 250
Responsive reading.
Offering.
Selection Orchestra
Scripture lesson Maxie Blythe
Song, 91
General Response and "chain meeting."
Special prayer for State Convention
Song, 34
Mizpah.

Leader, Miss Maria Davison.

PROGRAM

Of the 3d Missionary Circle,
to Be Held at Olivet Church April 28-29.

1. Origin, source, prophet, spread, faith, practice and ethics of Islam. C. O. Nicely, Will Garrett, M. M. McFarland.
2. Present condition of the Moslem world. A challenge to faith. J. F. Dixon, Holland Garnett. E. L. Edens.
3. How Enlist the un-Enlisted? W. W. Radford, H. W. Boxley, H. E. Gabby.
4. Sermon—H. E. Gabby

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H. S. NOTES

Yesterday The Henry Clay Debating Society held its regular meeting.

Tuesday afternoon, Prof. G. C. Koffman called a meeting of the Senior class to inform this year's graduates that the school board had ordered that they should graduate in caps and gowns. He said that samples of the material would be here soon and the caps and gowns would be made to measure. The members of the Senior class feel real grown up now, so much so that they almost feel like college graduates.

Saturday afternoon the local baseball team will play the team representing Howell High School on the field back of the high school. The diamond has recently been rolled and all depressions filled up and the High School team is confident of victory. Last year High School defeated Howell by the score of 26 to 6.

Friday night the High School Orchestra will give its annual concert at Belmont Auditorium. This will be the second concert held by the Orchestra. The one last year was greatly enjoyed by a large audience and it is hoped that the crowd Friday will be large, as Prof. Mallory has arranged a special program and the orchestra has been practicing diligently. The admission will be 25c.

DEATH WAS SUDDEN.

The wife of Jim Hatcher, col., who resides on the farm of Mr. Nick Sallee, near Julien, dropped dead Monday. She was engaged in washing some clothing and was apparently in her usual health, when she suddenly fell and expired in a very short while.

PRINCETON PRESBYTERY.

Princeton Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian church met in Marion, Ky., April 3, 1917, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. R. King was elected moderator. Eight ministers were present and twenty-six churches were represented. Judge C. S. Nunn in a splendid address welcomed the Presbytery to the city. Rev. H. R. Short, of the Methodist church, delivered the welcome address upon the part of the churches of Marion. Rev. Hugh Watson and Rev. O. A. Barbee responded to these addresses. Rev. J. T. Barbee and Rev. O. A. Barbee, of the Owensboro Presbytery, and Rev. Thomas Ashburn, of Knoxville Presbytery, were with us. Rev. Ashburn addressed the Presbytery in the interest of the Board of Sunday Schools and Young People's Work and Publication.

On Wednesday Rev. O. A. Barbee preached the Sacramental sermon and Rev. G. L. Woodruff administered the sacrament. Wednesday afternoon was given to the Sunday School program. Wednesday night the ladies of the Missionary Society rendered an interesting program.

On Thursday Rev. Ashburn delivered his lecture on The Holy Land. Rev. L. F. McDowell was elected as commissioner to the General Assembly, with Rev. J. B. Lowery alternate. Elder James D. Hill was elected principal commissioner upon the part of the eldership, with Elder B. F. Dukes alternate. The Presbytery goes to Flatlick next fall.

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Advertising brings good business.

FAIRVIEW NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Leelle Vass, of Henderson, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Ed Wade, who lives south of here, who has been sick for some time, was taken to Nashville Saturday to undergo an operation for stomach trouble. She was accompanied by Mrs. Mills Tandy, who will probably remain several days with her.

Rev. Rufus Robinson, of Russellville, filled the pulpit at the Baptist church here Sunday and delivered an excellent sermon to a large audience.

Miss Sammie Burrus, of Bowling Green, is spending a few days home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ely and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carroll, of Laytonsville, spent Sunday with Mr. and M. Stuart Fritz.

Rev. Harlin, of Marion, will preach at the Baptist church here Sunday.

Bro. Brevard will fill his regular appointment here Sunday. There will also be a special after Easter program rendered by the children of the town, which will be very interesting.

Mr. J. H. Reese, of the Western State Hospital, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Millen, formerly of Elkton, but now of Hopkinsville, is visiting her father, Mr. B. B. Johnson, of this place. PANSY.

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